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UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20555

February 8, 1990

MEMORANDUM FOR: James M. Taylor, Executive Director for Operations

FROM: Samuel J, Chilk, Secretary

SUBJECT: SECY-90-004 - PROPOSED ENFORCEMENT ACTION AGAINST DETROIT EDISON COMPANY FOR ISSUES AT FERMI DURING 1984 - 1986 (EA 88-106)

This is to advise you that the Commission (with all commissioners agreeing) has approved the issuance of a letter, order and notice of violation, however, the Commission has disapproved any imposition of a civil penalty.

Commissioner Remick noted that he believes that the Commission should consider establishing a timeframe beyond which an escalated enforcement action could not be taken without prior approval of the Commission.

Commissioner Curtiss believes that the Office of Enforcement should prepare and submit to the Commission monthly status reports on pending enforcement actions. The reports should be similar to the monthly statistical reports on investigations that OI prepares.

cc: Chairman Carr Commissioner Roberts Commissioner Rogers Commissioner Curtiss Commissioner Remick OGC

NOTE: ENFORCEMENT RELATED INFORMATION - LIMITED TO NRC UNLESS THE COMMISSION DETERMINES OTHERWISE.